



Win Sears' Award

Las Colinas Garden Club was honored this week by the Sears Foundation for its civic improvement of a continuing project within the district. Los Arboles Park is the club's project and this year, in conjunction with the city, lights were installed. Since 1958, Las Colinas has contributed shrubs, plants, trees, equipment and landscaping. Proud of their \$100 check to be used to further their work are, from left, Mmes. Jerry Toombs, past president; Henry Smith, civic affairs chairman, and J. Douglas Adams, president. The club's plans include a community-use building and landscaping of the undeveloped area adjoining the park. (Press-Herald Photo)

Palos Verdes-Rolling Hills AAUW

Installation Luncheon June 7

A special "Status of Women" award will be presented at the Installation Luncheon of the Palos Verdes-Rolling Hills Branch of the American Association of University Women on Saturday, June 7, at the Admiral Risty Restaurant, 31250 Palos Verdes W., Palos Verdes Peninsula. The recipient will be kept secret until the luncheon. A social hour will begin at 11:30 a.m. followed by the luncheon at noon. Officers to be installed for second terms are Mmes. Mary Lou Taylor, president; Robert Ritter, corresponding secre-

tary; and H. G. Petterson, recording secretary. New officers to be installed are Mmes. William Mason, first vice-president and membership chairman; Ernest Gambaro, second vice-president and program chairman; and Andrew Hammitt, treasurer. Installing officer is Mrs. Gene LaHusen, junior past president and chairman of the Status of Women committee. Certificates, indicating that named gifts in the amounts of \$500 each to the AAUW Fellowship Foundation, have been given in their honor, will be presented to Mmes. David

Steybe, John King and Andrew Hammitt. Presenting the awards will be Mrs. Mary Lou Taylor. A special guest at the Installation Luncheon will be a past president, Mrs. Charles Sutcliffe, this year's recipient of Apple of Gold Award given by the Teacher Remembrance Day Foundation. Reports will be given by the nine delegates who attended the AAUW State Convention May 22-24 in San Francisco. Entertainment at the luncheon will be provided by the AAUW Chorus under the direction of Mrs. John Hazelwood.

DAR Chapter Picnic Will Close Year

Members of El Redondo Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will meet Friday, June 6, at the home of Mrs. Joseph Gagnier, 919 First St., Manhattan Beach at noon. This will be an outdoor picnic luncheon, with tables arranged in the patio and around the pool. Members will supply the buffet luncheon by preparing their favorite casserole dish, salad, or dessert. Following the luncheon, the program will be devoted to a discourse on the United States Flag, and to an explanation of the Flag Code by Mrs. Ion M. Bethel of Palos Verdes Estates, who is first vice-regent of the Chapter. After the summer vacation recess, the monthly meetings will be resumed again in September.

Woman's Club Installation Slated Today

Torrance Woman's Club will install its new officers today in ceremonies at the clubhouse. Mrs. H. F. Heinlein is installing officer. Assuming their duties for the 1969-70 club year will be Mmes. Richard Dorothy, president; Richard Rankin, first vice-president; Dale Bliven, second vice-president; J. T. Mathews, third vice-president; H. F. Heinlein, corresponding secretary; A. S. Moore, recording secretary; Morton Diener, treasurer.

Others are Mmes. Dean L. Sears, auditor; A. F. Baker, program; E. P. Disbrow, ways and means; Ervin Moudy, reservations; J. J. Newman, bulletin; and D. J. Thomsen, parliamentarian. After the ceremony, the Junior Woman's Club chorus will entertain.

CDA Court Takes Opportunity To Say 'Thanks' in Big Way

Mrs. Mary L. Marriott, 1731 Andreo, received a very official envelope from the United States Air Force Academy in Colorado Springs early last week. It contained an invitation from the Air Force for the local woman to attend a formal military ceremony at Peterson Field, Colo., last Thursday morning honoring her son, Capt. Joseph R. Marriott, who was retiring after 20 years of service. An added note said that there would be special honors for Capt. Marriott. News spreads and members of the Catholic Daughter Court

Madonna of Hills of which Mrs. Marriott has served as grand regent for the past three years, went to work. They collected the money for the plane fare and gave it as a gift of appreciation. They even helped her with her packing and early Thursday morning Mrs. Robert Crain and Mrs. Joseph Teninies drove her to the plane. She not only thrilled to the Air Force's tribute to her son but had a long weekend visit with him, his wife and two children who are moving to Florida. Mrs. Marriott returned to Torrance Monday.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Torrance City Council is seeking applications from citizens interested in filling vacancies on Council advisory commissions and committees. Persons interested in serving on such a commission or committee may make application to do so on forms available in the office of the City Clerk.

The City Council has established ten citizens' commissions to advise them on specific matters. Terms of office are for four years, and commissions receive token compensation. Established commissions are Airport, Civil Defense and Disaster, Civil Service, Library, Park and Recreation, Planning, Torrance Beautiful, Safety Council, Water, and Youth Welfare. In addition to the foregoing, a Citizens' Advisory Committee exists whose members serve without compensation.

Vacancies exist on several commissions and the Citizens' Advisory Committee. In making appointments to fill vacancies, the City Council will consider the qualifications of each applicant from applications submitted to the City Clerk. Remaining applications for commission posts will be placed on file by the Clerk, and when further vacancies occur, appointments will be made from applications on file.

By order of Edward J. Ferraro, City Manager, this 29th day of May, 1969.

VERNON W. COIL, City Clerk

St. Catherine Court Elects New Officers

Mrs. Paul DeCuir was elected Grand Regent of Court St. Catherine 1378, Catholic Daughters of America, at its recent meeting held at the Nativity parish hall.

The new president has held the offices of vice regent, treasurer, lecturer in the court, and has filled many chairmanships.

Mrs. DeCuir is the mother of two sons, Lyle of Torrance, and Darryl of Westchester, and has three grandchildren. Elected to serve with her during the coming year were

Mmes. Oren Davis, vice regent; John Lewis, prophetess; James Barnidge, financial secretary; Laura Nelson, historian.

Other new officers are Miss Patsy Ruth Dooley, monitor; Mmes. Manuel Medeiros, lecturer; Charles Butterfield, organist; Charles Lindahl, sentinel; Andrew Rabel, Mendez Bertuzzi, Jr. and John Patrick, trustees. Continuing trustees are Mmes. Elles Cook, Wilbur Camp and Louie Derouin.

The new officers will be installed at a meeting tomorrow evening to which family and friends are invited.

Sisterhood Plans Donor Luncheon

Honoring women who have made distinguished contributions to the Sisterhood, Congregation Ner Tamid of South Bay, will hold its annual Donor Luncheon aboard the SS Princess Louise on Terminal Island, June 10.

A program of unusual interest has been scheduled, according to Mrs. Otto Hamberg donor chairman. Mort and Mi Mi Sharon, unique husband-wife troubadours, recently returned from an European concert tour, will present a song-guitar program titled "The Changing Scene." The Sharrons, who perform in 10 languages, are classical singers of folk gems and modern romantic songs. They appear frequently on European radio and television. Mrs. Howard J. Berk is president of the Sisterhood.

Xi Upsilon Will Finish Year's Work

Mrs. David Sowers will conduct the final business meeting of the 1968-69 year of Xi Nu Upsilon in her home this evening. Monthly socials have been planned during the summer months, but regular business meetings will not resume until September.

Two programs will be given during the evening to finish the program of "The Grand Tour" enjoyed by members during the past year. Mrs. Sowers will give a report and show slides of Canada, and Mrs. John Cronander will report on the presidents of the United States.

A report of the South Bay Area Council meeting of June 3 will be given by the Chapter Council Representative, Mrs. Harry Vannetta.

Six members will attend the State Convention in San Diego June 6, 7 and 8. They are Mmes. David Sowers and Marvin Scott of San Pedro; Irving Kurman of Redondo Beach; and Raymond Young, John Shetler and John Miller of Torrance.

On June 18, members have been invited to attend a social at the home of Mrs. Alex Hansen of Long Beach. Members of Xi Theta Chapter of Long Beach have also been invited. Mrs. Hansen is an active member of Xi Theta Chapter.

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MRS. PAUL DeCUIR CDA Grand Regent

Chapter Meets Mrs. Robert Niedzwiecki entertained Rho Epsilon Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Monday evening. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Earl Williams, presented the program "Make an Art of Living." The group is planning a couples party for late June.

Tour Continent Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parkening, 5202 Clearsite, have returned from a two month vacation trip on which they toured the United States. The trip was in celebration of their first wedding anniversary.

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Delegate To Report On Convention

Mrs. Ralph Engstrom will report on the Epsilon Sigma Alpha California State convention held May 23-25 at the Beverly Hilton Hotel at a business meeting this evening. Mrs. Engstrom, president of the Torrance Eta Kappa chapter, attended as a voting delegate for her membership. The attendance for the three day convention hosted by the South Bay Mira Costa Regional Council was 954 members.

Eta Kappa, one of 165 chapters throughout the state in competition, captured second place for its yearbook and third place for the philanthropic award. Their educational program is one of seven being submitted by the state in July for international competition.

Following the business meeting and convention report, Mrs. Engstrom will give the chapters' third educational program: "Self Expression in the Business World of Women."

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